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SUBJECT: SECOND FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE ON CYPHER CASE

REF: TEGUCIGALPA 3182

1. GOH HAS FOLLOWED UP ITS NOTE OF JULY 23 ON CYPHER CASE WITH A FURTHER NOTE DELIVERED TO EMBASSY TODAY. AN INFORMAL TRANSLATION FOLLOWS:

"THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF HONDURAS GREETES THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TRANSMITS AN ATTACHED COPY OF THE FINAL REPORT ISSUED BY THE HIGH LEVEL MILITARY COMMISSION THAT WAS NAMED TO CLARIFY THE SAD EVENTS WHICH TOOK PLACE IN OLANCHO THIS PAST JUNE.

THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN RELATIONS ONCE AGAIN STATES TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THAT THE PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT OF HONDURAS DEEPLY DEPLORE THE DEATH OF THE REVEREND MICHAEL JEROME CYPHER AND AS EXPRESSED BY THE SUPERIOR DEFENSE COUNCIL, THE ARMED FORCES AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC LAMENT THAT THE CLIMATE OF AGITATION UNLEASHED BY ANTAGONISTIC GROUPS HAS RESULTED IN THE LOSS OF PRECIOUS HUMAN LIVES AND REITERATES TO THE HONDURAN PEOPLE THEIR INTEREST IN APPLYING THE FULL FORCE OF THE LAW TO THE GUILTY AND WATCHING OVER THE

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DEVELOPMENT OF THE JUDICIAL PROCESS."

2. THE ENCLOSURE IS A COPY OF THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE OF JULY 23 WHICH WAS SUMMARIZED IN EMBTEL 3181.

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